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Manuscript 15

Paddock and Hatch Letters, 1777-1787: Guide

COLLECTION SUMMARY

Creator: Paddock, Adino, 1727-1804.

Call Number: Manuscript 15

Extent: 1 folder (9 letters)

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About This Finding Aid: Description based on DACS.

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Abstract: Adino Paddock, of London, wrote letters to Jabez Hatch about the Boston property Paddock left behind in 1776.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

This collection contains nine letters from Adino Paddock, writing from London, to Jabez Hatch of Boston written between 1777 and 1787. The letters concern Paddock's Boston property that he had to leave behind when he fled to London in 1776.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Adino Paddock was a coach builder with Loyalist sympathies and was Captain of Boston's militia artillery company before the Revolutionary War. Paddock had to leave Boston due to his allegiance, and he moved to London in 1776. Jabez Hatch (1737-1802) was second-in-command and commissioned Captain Lieutenant in Paddock's artillery company.

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Arrangement

The papers are arranged in chronological order.

Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research during the Special Collections Department's regular hours.

Conditions Governing Reproduction and Use

Requests for permission to publish material from this collection should be discussed with Special Collections staff.

Languages and Scripts

The materials are entirely in English.

Conservation Note

Preservation activities were performed on the collection as follows:

- Manuscripts show evidence of tape repairs; date of repairs unknown.

Container List

Folder #	Folder Title	Date
1	Letter from Adino Paddock to Jabez Hatch	April 23, 1777
2	Letter from Adino Paddock to Jabez Hatch	May 15, 1779
3	Letter from Adino Paddock to Jabez Hatch	Feb. 22, 1780
4	Letter from Adino Paddock to Jabez Hatch	Oct., 1782
5	Letter from Adino Paddock to Jabez Hatch	Dec. 3, 1783

6	Letter from Adino Paddock to Jabez Hatch	Jan. 22, 1784
7	Letter from Adino Paddock to Jabez Hatch	March 16, 1784
8	Letter from Adino Paddock to Jabez Hatch	Sept. 26, 1784?
9	Letter from Adino Paddock to Jabez Hatch	July 2, 1787?